

## MANY PROBING FRIEDMANN'S TUBERCULOSIS CURE

Berlin, Jan. 22.—German scientists today said that they had outwitted Dr. Friedrich Friedmann, discoverer of "Friedmann's tuberculosis cure," and they hope soon to be able to say on first-hand information whether the Friedman cure is genuine or not.

Professor Felix Klemperer, a scientist, announced he had obtained the consent of one of Friedmann's patients to withdraw from his arm the living bacilli that had been injected by Friedmann. The germ has been reproduced in large quantities, Klemperer said, and scientists all over Germany are experimenting with the bacilli.

"I acted in the name of humanity," Klemperer said, "and if this germ is what Friedmann claims it is, we will shortly give it to the world."

"You may say that I already admit that the germ will help many sufferers, but I cannot as yet say it will help all."

In another well-known Berlin laboratory, the Friedmann culture is being experimented with by one of the most eminent scientists of Germany, formerly a colleague of Friedmann, whose name is withheld.

Professor August Bier, a most violent enemy of Friedmann, has obtained some of the bacilli, and is conducting experiments on tubercular guinea pigs. He conceded that many remarkable cures had been effected, and said that apparently the Friedmann cure was genuine.

Thus scientists throughout Germany are conducting the experiments that Friedman refused to permit, and it was said today that in a short time the medical experts of Europe will be enabled to pass authoritatively on the merits of Friedmann's discovery.

## TWO ARE OVERCOME BY SMOKE IN LOOP FIRE

Kathleen Simsrott, 513 Throop st., and Gladys Kellogg, 640 Englewood av., were overcome by smoke, and scores of employes were thrown into panic when fire broke out in basement of 4-story factory building at 327-29 S. Franklin st. this afternoon. The two girls were revived and taken to their homes.

The basement and first two floors of the building are occupied by Charles Ruben, manufacturer of woollens and novelties. T. W. Boas, maker of women's dress skirts, occupies the two upper floors.

Most of the employes were at lunch when the fire started in the basement. Those on the upper floors escaped by stairways and fire escapes. Damage \$25,000.

## Which?

"Remember, Bridget," said the lady to the new maid, "there are just two things I insist upon—truthfulness and obedience."

"Yes, mum," said Bridget; "and phwen yez tell me to tell the callers that yer out whin yer in, which shall it be, mum—truthfulness or obedience?"